

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

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Wohlford et al.

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Application No.: 10/751,383

Examiner: Timothy Michael Ayres

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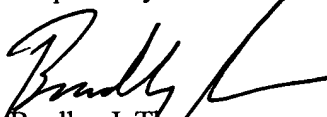
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time of one (1) month (from July 13, 2006 to August 13, 2006) within which to respond to the Office Action dated April 13, 2006 is requested. A check in the amount of \$60.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee. Applicants are entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

Respectfully submitted

  
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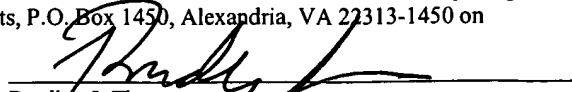
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*Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.*

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